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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY STAFF

Subj: Marine Corps Participation on Intelligence Community Planning Working Group

Ref: (a) Dir IC Staff Memorandum DCI/ICS 83-4402 dtd 6 June 1983: Subj: Terms of Reference, Space Intelligence Plan

- 1. During review of the referenced memorandum, I noted the existence of the Intelligence Community Planning Working Group functioning under the Executive Steering Group for Long Range Strategic Planning. Conspicuously absent from the membership was the Marine Corps. In view of our increased participation in NFIB and NFIC activities and recent Marine Corps intelligence planning initiatives, we would be particularly interested in Marine Corps membership on the Planning Working Group.
- 2. With your concurrence, I am prepared to nominate Mr. John J. GUENTHER, my Special Assistant, as Marine Corps member on the Intelligence Community Planning Working Group. Mr. GUENTHER is my principal staff officer for intelligence planning, participates in various other interagency planning efforts, and annually develops the Marine Corps Master Intelligence Plan. I would foresee substantial mutual benefits from Marine Corps participation on the Planning Working Group.

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